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Navajo Nation Health Command Operations Center confirms 1,206 total positive COVID-19 cases and 48 total deaths on the Navajo Nation

WINDOW ROCK, Ariz. – On Tuesday, the Navajo Nation Health Command Operations Center (HCOC) has confirmed a total of 1,206 positive cases of Dikos Ntsaaígíí-19 (COVID-19), which includes 569 males and 637 females with an average age of 48-years old. There is a total of 48 deaths, which consists of 31 males and 17 females with an average age of 65-years old. The total number of negative tests is 5,017 on the Navajo Nation.

Upon further review of the data, the Navajo Epidemiology Center has analyzed and distinguished cases between Navajo Nation residents and border town residents. The newly reported figures only include Navajo Nation residents.

The 1,206 confirmed COVID-19 positive cases on the Navajo Nation include the following counties:

- Navajo County (Arizona): 328
- McKinley County (New Mexico): 244
- Apache County (Arizona): 240
- Coconino County (Arizona): 214
- San Juan County (New Mexico): 121
- Socorro (New Mexico): 17
- San Juan County (Utah): 15
- Cibola County (New Mexico): 14
- Sandoval County (New Mexico): 13

Source: HCOC Situational Awareness by Navajo Epidemiology Center (21 April, 2020).

There are currently seven Navajo Nation Public Health Emergency Orders to reduce the spread of COVID-19, which include a Nation-wide shelter-in-place, limiting large gatherings, a daily curfew from 8:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m., a 57-hour weekend curfew during April, and mandating all individuals on the Navajo Nation to wear face masks.

For more information, visit https://www.ndoh.navajo-nsn.gov/COVID-19 or call the HCOC Hotline at (928) 871-7014.

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